

TAFT WILL TRAVEL ACROSS CONTINENT

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Miles Over Twenty-
Two Railroads.

Climax Will Come at Meeting
With Diaz at El Paso—Rich-
mond Will Be Last Stop on
Most Notable of All
Presidential

BEVERLY, MASS., September 12.—When President Taft moves here

Boston Tuesday afternoon to the guest of the Chamber of Commerce at a dinner that evening, he will actually started on one of the notable trips ever taken by a Chief Magistrate of the United States. After spending the night at a hotel in Boston, the President will, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, start on his first trip to the Southwest. His first stopping-off place being at Chicago, where he will be entertained part of the day by the Commerce Club, and during the remainder of the stay by the Hamilton Club. The President will then visit the States both of the far Southwestern Territories, the President's trip will reach its climax at El Paso, Tex., on October 16, where he will meet President-elect Woodrow Wilson. He will formally received President Diaz of El Paso he will cross the international

The President's trip covers
itinerary of 12,759 miles, and his
private cars, the Mayflower and
Haskell, will be handled on
twenty-two different railroad systems.
The Southern Pacific will get

longest haul of 2,289 miles. The Maricopa and Phoenix Railroad, away in Arizona, gets the short haul thirty-five miles. The voyage down the Mississippi River from St. Louis to New Orleans on the steamboat

The striking incidents of President Taft's tour will include a moonlight ride through the Royal Gorge and a night trip over the highest passes of the Rocky Mountains; an inspection of one of the greatest irrigation projects in all the West at Montrose, Colo.; a visit to the smelters at Butte; a fly down the Grand Ditch country

visit to the Coeur D'Alene country Northern Idaho; a two-days' stay the Alaska-Yukon Exposition at Seattle; a day of sightseeing down the Shasta Railroad in California; a three-days' visit to the Yosemite Valley; a day spent about the rim of the Grand Canyon, in Arizona, and four days at the ranch of the President's brother Charles P. Taft, near Corpus Christi, Texas.

Cabinet Officers His Guests.
Five of his nine Cabinet officers will at different times be the guests of the President, and after he reaches the Pacific coast there will be from two to four with him practically all the time. Leaving Boston Wednesday, the President's party will consist of himself, Captain Butt, his military aide, Assistant Secretary Mischel, Charles C. Wagner, executive sten-

grapher; Dr. J. J. Richardson, of Washington; Gerrit Fort, assistant to vice-president of the New York Central Lines, who will have all of the transportation arrangements in charge; James Sloan, Jr., and Joseph E. Murphy, secret service operatives; Arthur Brooks, messenger, and six newspapermen.

The Cabinet officers who will be with the President at the meeting were

President Diaz are: Secretary of State Postmaster-General Hitchcock and Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nelson.

The President has also invited a number of United States Senators and the personal friends to make part of the journey as his guests.

John Hays Hammond is to join the President at Spokane, Wash., September 28, and make the remainder of the journey with him back to Washington.

His Principal Stops.

The revised schedule of the principal stops to be made by the President in the South after leaving his brother's ranch, on October 22, follows:

Houston, Tex., for the

October 23—Houston, Tex., forenoon; Dallas, evening.

October 25—St. Louis, Mo., begin down Mississippi River at 5 P. M.

October 26—Cape Girardeau, Mo., forenoon; Cairo, Ill.; Hickman, Ky.

October 27—Memphis, Tenn., entire forenoon; Helena, Ark., one hour evening.

October 28—Vicksburg, Miss., evening.

October 29—Natchez, Miss., evening.
October 30-31—New Orleans.
November 1—Jackson, Miss., all day.
November 2—Columbus, Miss., afternoon; Birmingham, Ala., evening.
November 3—Birmingham until 4 P. M.
November 4—Macon, Ga., forenoon; Savannah, evening.
November 5—Savannah, forenoon; Charleston, evening.

November 4—Columbia, S. C., afternoon; Augusta, Ga., evening.
 November 7—Augusta.
 November 8—Augusta to 2:30 P. M.
 Florence, S. C., short visit, evening.
 November 9—Wilmington, N. C., day.
 November 10—Richmond, all day 5 P. M.; Washington, at 8:35 P. M.

Officer Kina Negro.
RIDGEWAY, S. C., September 13.
Policeman J. C. Crumpton yesterday
ternoon shot and instantly killed J.
Murphy (colored) at the house of a
negro woman here. The officer was
attempting to arrest Murphy and the
woman, when the negro resisted, hurl-
ing stones at the officer. The coroner's
jury exonerated Crumpton.

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